

NAZI POSITIONS CRACK UNDER U. S. ASSAULTS



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The War Today...

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AP War Analyst

ONE OF THE HOT SPOTS to watch is that Great Russian drive through the heart of Hungary, because it may easily develop shortly into one of the decisive engagements of the war and alter the complexion of the conflict in eastern Europe.

Naturally in appraising the value of any Allied offensive, we regard it from the standpoint of its value to the united effort to administer the coup de grace to Germany as quickly as possible. How then does the Hungarian battle fit into the picture?

Hungary is one of the most important strategic centers in all Europe. The expansive Danubian basin through the centuries has been one of the main routes of invasion to Austria and central Europe—and that means to Germany. As the Danube flows south, it stands the capital city of Budapest—communications center for all southeastern Europe.

Budapest is more than half surrounded by Red forces which are close to the outskirts. The Nazi controlled government has fled to Austria. On the north the Muscovites have smashed up to the neighboring Czechoslovakian border, and are heading along the valley of the Danube towards Vienna. Southwest of Budapest they've reached the famous Lake Balaton, a mighty finger of water 50 miles long and 10 miles wide—which forms a natural defense for Austria, barring large gaps at either end.

Lake Balaton long has provided Europe's military leaders with material for strategic speculation, since it's an obvious site for major conflict. It's a position which one would expect the Germans to defend to the utmost and we, therefore, are likely to see a great battle develop there.

To record that Balaton lake forms a defensive barrier east of the Austrian frontier is to give only half the story. It also divides the German forces (and such Hungarian troops as can be compelled to fight for Hitler). Part of the

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NATION-WIDE REPORT

(By Associated Press)

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Why G. I. Joe Needs Shells



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Only Bond Buyers To See It War Bond Is Admission To Gala Movie Premiere

You can be a special guest at a gala movie premiere—a first-nighter at the opening of a new feature picture—and you don't have to buy a ticket.

But you do need to be a purchaser of a War Bond.

Announcement of the bond

CRASH KILLS WAR WORKER

Harley A. Garside, 53, of East Rochester, Victim In Route 9 Mishap

Harley Allen Garside, 53, of R. D. 1, East Rochester, was killed instantly at 6:10 p. m. Saturday when his car left the road on Route 9, about seven miles south of Salem, and plunged over a 15-foot embankment and struck a tree.

Although cause of the accident is undetermined, state patrolmen said Garside apparently was killed instantly. His neck was broken and his skull fractured, Coroner Arnold W. Devon of East Liverpool is investigating.

Two Hanoverton youths, Sunny Jordan, 14, and Ray Evans, 17, saw the car go over the side of the road and hailed a passing motorist, who summoned the state patrol and an ambulance. Garside was taken to the Central Clinic where he was pronounced dead.

Patrolmen Russell and Hopkins said the car was completely hidden by the heavy brush through which it had passed and might have gone undiscovered had the two boys not seen the mishap. The boys told patrolmen the car just swerved suddenly off the road.

Garside was employed as a spot welder at the Mullins Mfg. Corp. plant here.

Surviving are two brothers, Glenn of New Garden, Archie of Youngstown and two sisters, Audrey and Mrs. Erma Raffle, both of Akron.

Funeral service will be held at the Methodist church in New Garden at 2 p. m. tomorrow. Rev. Herbert Massey of the East Rochester Methodist church will be in charge.

The body is at the Maple Funeral home in Kensington, where friends may call this evening. Burial will be in the New Garden cemetery.

Four Overcome By Gas, Two Children Revived

PORT HURON, Mich., Dec. 11.—Four members of a family of six were found asphyxiated in their second-floor apartment here today.

Police said four burners and the oven of a gas stove in the kitchen were turned on, but only two of them were burning.

ORMOC, LEYTE CAPITAL NOW IN YANK HANDS

Americans Seize Stronghold, Lines Tightened About Trapped Japs

(By Associated Press)

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, Dec. 11.—Leyte island's strategic seaport of Ormoc was in American hands today—captured just four days after surprise landings to the south—and three columns of veteran Yanks put a nutcracker squeeze on thousands of Japanese trapped in a narrow pocket by the action.

Ormoc was seized in midafternoon Sunday by the American 77th division, which launched the knock-out attack in early morning from the town's outskirts after a quick drive from beachheads established Thursday under naval and air cover.

The American Seventh division was less than a mile from Ormoc after making contact at Albura on the west coast with a column which came west over the hills from Burauen in Leyte valley. In the ever-narrowing corridor between these forces were thousands of Japanese facing a deadly squeeze play.

Enemy Is Trapped

Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported in his communique today: "Trapped and compressed into a narrow pocket by these three Allied columns, the enemy's forces in the southern segment of the Yamashita line, although many thousands strong, are unable to extricate themselves."

"They are being destroyed with little opportunity for effective retaliation."

Associated Press Correspondent Dean Scheder, with the 77th division, wrote that Maj. Gen. Andrew Bruce's veteran outfit found opposition surprisingly light upon securing a beachhead and, reversing plans, immediately pushed toward Ormoc along the coastal road, meeting only light pockets of resistance at first. Later strong dugouts and pillboxes had to be destroyed.

Ormoc was vital to the enemy as a reinforcement for his troops in the Ormoc corridor running through mountain country from Ormoc to Carigara bay on the north. This corridor, on the northwest shoulder of the island, is Japan's last effective grasp on Leyte, which Tokyo considers a key to the Philippines campaign.

The Japanese still have a small port facing the Visayan sea. This is Palompon, 18 miles northwest of Ormoc.

There was every indication the Japanese would make a fight for every inch of Leyte.

American fighter planes were active in combat over the fighting zone, and bombers scored effective hits on Central Philippines shipping and airfields.

Two freighters were sunk and three damaged.

Potters To Renew Wage Conference

A third renewal of the biennial wage conference between National Brotherhood of Operative Potters and the United States Potters association will get under way in East Liverpool tomorrow.

The session, being held to attempt to iron out several problems facing the two organizations over wage contracts for the next two years, is expected to result in the exact date for vacation check payment for Salem China Co. workers.

This question, one of several disputed by the two groups, will result in the payment of the vacation checks to Salem potters, as agreed between local workers and the company officials at the close of the recent strike.

Nazis Building 'V-4', New Sub For 1945 Counter Offensive

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Reports reaching London from many sources indicate that Germany is gathering her forces for a 1945 counter-offensive which she hopes may turn the tide of the war.

Two enemy V-weapons—the flying bomb and the rocket bomb—already are in use against southern England and continental points. Nazi Production Chief Albert Speer was quoted as saying recently that "V-3" would be ready for use against New York before the new year and now there is talk in Germany of "V-4," but no hint as to its nature.

It is a matter of official knowledge that the Germans have developed a submarine equipped with radical new devices for underwater breathing and it is possible some of the craft may even now be at sea. Known as the Schnorkel spiral submarine, the new vessel has been dubbed the "Snorts" by the British. London newspapers have told

Four Salem Servicemen Wounded



Sgt. Hundertmark Sgt. Broomall

Pvt. Lenz Pfc. Rogers

Salem's latest war casualties, all wounded, include Staff Sgt. H. Rex Hundertmark, Staff Sgt. Richard Broomall, Pfc. Robert Lenz and Pfc. James Rogers.

Sgt. Hundertmark, 28, husband of Mary Ruth Hundertmark of Jennings ave., was wounded in action in France Nov. 18. Sgt. Broomall, 23, husband of Sallie Broomall of Washington ave., was hurt in France Nov. 13.

Pfc. Lenz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lenz, Franklin road, today was disclosed to have been wounded a third time Nov. 27 in Germany, three days after returning to action. He wears the Purple Heart medal.

Pfc. James Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rogers of E. Third st., was wounded in action Oct. 28 while fighting in the Philippines, his family learned recently. A recipient of the Silver Star medal for "meritorious action against the enemy" in earlier battles, Pfc. Rogers has been overseas two years.

CORP. ALTON FIELD GETS PURPLE HEART

A U. S. ARMY GENERAL HOSPITAL, England, Dec. 11.—While attacking the Nazis on high ground about four miles outside of Brest, Corp. Alton C. Fields, 21, of R. 2, Salem, Ohio, was hit by shrapnel. He is recuperating at this Army general hospital in England where he was awarded the Purple Heart.

His ward surgeon, First Lieut. Stanley S. Kahn of Gadsden, Ala., said, "Corp. Fields is improving very well and soon will be able to return to duty."

Corp. Fields landed in France in July with his infantry unit and was sent into the battle for Brest.

"The Nazis were firmly entrenched on some high ground about four miles outside the city, and we launched a heavy attack to knock them off," Fields said. "I was leading my squad when I was wounded by shrapnel."

Within a few minutes Corp. Fields was treated by his company aid men and sent to an evacuation hospital. From there he was flown to England.

The infantryman is the husband of Mrs. Dorothy Fields of Salem and is the son of Mr. Jesse Fields of Hollidays Cove, W. Va. Before entering the Army he was a post-office clerk at Hollidays Cove.

250 EXPECTED AT BOOSTERS' DINNER

Approximately 250 members of the Salem Boosters club and guests are expected to attend the annual Salem High school football banquet at the Memorial building at 6:30 tonight when Alvin N. "Bo" McMillin, head coach at Indiana university, will speak.

The event, the third affair sponsored by the club, will honor the 1944 Salem High Quakers who won six and lost three gridiron tests. Forty members of the Salem squad are to be guests of the organization.

Joe M. Kelley, president of the club, has chosen Alvin Henry L. Reese as toastmaster for the affair. Corp. singing will be by the John Coleman of East Liverpool and music will be donated by Don Harvey's orchestra.

Rev. Fr. Richard Gaffney will give the invocation and Coach Ben Barrett will speak and introduce his squad. A number of out of town coaches, school officials and athletic officials are expected at the dinner.

All servicemen home on furlough are invited to the dinner as guests of the club.

Analyze Bakery Goods After 12 Are Made Ill

CANTON, Dec. 11.—At least a score of persons were treated for food poisoning over the weekend after eating custard puffs. Dr. F. M. Sayre, Canton health commissioner, reported.

Fifteen persons required hospitalization and Dr. Sayre said all those questioned reported they had eaten custard puffs purchased at a local bakery. One of the suspected puffs was to be analyzed.

"The new rockets are impossible to stop at their source, as they are manufactured in vast underground factories," the Daily Mirror said in a dispatch from Brussels.

Reports from neutral countries place Germany's fighter plane production at 1,500 craft a month despite the Allied aerial onslaught, and there is some talk of a Luftwaffe "comeback" based on jet plane activities.

Players Open Carol Drama Tuesday Night

When the curtain goes up Tuesday evening on the first of five performances by the Players club of Dickens' "Christmas Carol," the audience will see a complete departure from all other types of plays given by the local theatrical organization.

Offered without any scenery, with the briefest of stage properties set up before a cycloramic curtain, the "Carol" will be a unique study in effects that are possible through proper lighting, related sounds and individual characterizations.

As in any other stage fantasy, the cast will seek to create the desired effects through imagination, a far more difficult task than working on a stage completely set with the usual properties.

Presented under the sponsorship of the city's P. T. A. groups, and with all proceeds from the show to go to those organizations for use in the schools, all indications are that the "Christmas Carol" will be witnessed by the largest number of persons ever to see a single stage play in Salem. It will be given Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings.

The auditorium doors will be opened at 7:30 each evening since no seats will be reserved. A limited amount of standing room will be utilized if necessary.

The entertainment will begin promptly at 8 with the singing of Christmas carols by a student choral group and this will be followed immediately by the play, which will last approximately one hour. Further singing will close the program.

Dress rehearsal will be held at 7 tonight at the High school, under the supervision of Director Franklin Smith, and attendance will be limited to members of the Players club and a few others directly interested.

JAP ADMIRAL WHO LED PEARL HARBOR ATTACK IS KILLED

(By Associated Press)

The Japanese admiral who led the attack on Pearl Harbor today was killed in action.

The Japanese agency Domei later confirmed today Adm. Chester W. Nimitz's announcement of five months ago that a Nippon admiral killed on Saipan island was the officer who led the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor.

Domei said the officer, Vice Adm. Chuichi Nagumo, had been "commander-in-chief of the task force that led the attack on Pearl Harbor."

The Domei story, broadcast by Tokyo, was recorded by the Federal communications commission.

The agency announced Nagumo's death last July in a final suicide attack at Saipan, but did not identify him at that time as the Pearl Harbor attack leader.

Domei said Nagumo and six other Nippon admirals and a general were given posthumous decorations. This boosted to 73 the number of Japanese admirals, and to 18 the total of generals reported dead since last May.

The death of Nagumo was given out in a Domei broadcast recorded by The Associated Press which said: "The navy ministry today officially announced that Vice-Adm. Chuichi Nagumo, supreme commander of the Japanese naval forces who was killed in action on the Saipan island in July of this year, has been posthumously raised in rank to full admiral."

A previous broadcast had listed six more Japanese admirals and a general.

Late Bulletins

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Paris and Algiers broadcasts said tonight Red army vanguards had entered the flaming Hungarian capital of Budapest.

WITH U. S. SEVENTH ARMY IN ALSACE, Dec. 11.—Haguenau, important communications and supply city 18 miles north of Strasbourg, fell to American troops today.

Anton Hrvatin Injured While On Duty At Sea

Word was received today by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hrvatin of Aetna at that their son, Anton Hrvatin, 20, a M. 3/c, a veteran of 15 months overseas service, has been injured while on duty in the Atlantic.

According to the message from the Salem sailor, he received fractures of both hands and is now in a base hospital somewhere overseas.

A graduate of Salem High school, he entered service in June 1943. He is an aviation metalsmith.

His address is: Anton Hrvatin, U. S. N. R., U. S. Naval hospital, Ward C. No. 1955, care of fleet post-office, New York City.

BE SURE TO READ THE RAND MOTHERS ANNOUNCEMENT ON PAGE FOUR OF TODAY'S PAPER

THREE BLOWS BY ENEMY ARE HURLED BACK

American First Army Is Within Two and Half Miles of Duren

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Dec. 11.—First army veterans drove within two and a half miles of the Roer river citadel of Duren today and advanced 1 1/2 miles along the Aachen-Cologne superhighway to Merken, 17 miles inside Germany and the deepest point of conquest.

Even as Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' shock troops in fresh snow-fall fought toward the flooded Roer on a 10-mile front, the skies were filled with 1,600 U. S. heavy bombers and 800 escorting fighters striking vital points on German railroads leading to the front.

Dhorn, three miles west, and Eichtz, 2 1/2 miles northwest of Duren, toppled. Nearby Geich, Obergeich and Strass were taken yesterday.

Street fighting raged in at least five villages, the farthest of which was five miles from Duren. There were five Merken, Geich, Merode and Schaberg. The Germans employed dug-in tanks and self-propelled guns at Geich.

Smash Counter-Attacks

On the Saarland front to the south, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's Third army amid Siegfried line defenses at Dillingen and Saarlautern, encountering ever stiffening resistance which took on a fanatical character. Tanks and guns fired at the Americans from vantage points inside buildings and factories. Infantry was buried under rubble heaps left in the wake of Allied air forces.

Eleven enemy counter-attacks have been launched in this area in the past two days. Three came at Dillingen before dawn today. In one of these 85 Germans made a charge shouting "Heil Hitler." Every Nazi was killed.

On Patton's right, the U. S. Seventh army fought inside Haguenau and three nearby towns.

During Sunday, the 95th division reported cleaning out 25 pillboxes, 30 fortified buildings and several dug-in tanks inside Saarlautern, which the Americans held won eight days ago. Patton's men also fought in the streets of Haguenau and Strasbourg beyond Saarlautern, and in Sarreguemines.

At Merken, the First army was within 22 miles of Cologne and astride the main highway which the Germans call an Autobahn. The road crosses the Roer three miles north of Duren, a key city of 39,000, and then debouches into lesser roads in the flat rolling approaches to Cologne.

NEGRO HELD AFTER SEBRING MAN DIES

ALLIANCE, Dec. 11.—Police are holding Spencer Taylor, 23, a Negro, on a charge of first degree murder as a result of the fatal clubbing of James W. Scarry, 42, a Sebring potter, near a tavern on E. Broadway Saturday morning.

Scarry, whose residence is 825 E. Miller st. in Sebring, died in the Alliance city hospital Saturday from what Acting Coroner Herman Welland today termed the "shock of a blow over the right eye which caused a large external clot on the right side of the head."

Police Chief Harry L. Stark is holding the Negro, along with two material witnesses, and has scheduled a hearing for tomorrow.

According to the story given police, Scarry and his wife and Oscar Manning, 37, of Alliance, had gone into the Chicken Shack, a tavern, for an early morning drink. No trouble was reported in the tavern, but police said Scarry was attacked by a group of Negroes when he left the place.

SNOW COVERS MOST OF MIDWEST STATES

A sticky blanket of snow, ranging in depth from three to 13 inches, covers most of the midwest today and the forecast generally was for more of the same. Nineteen persons died in traffic accidents traceable to hazardous driving conditions over the weekend.

The United States Weather bureau at Chicago said the snow extended as far south as Memphis, Tenn. Dallas, Tex., reported freezing weather had gripped the state from the panhandle to the Gulf of Mexico.

The lowest temperature reported was at North Platte, Neb., where the mercury skidded to eight degrees.

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Eating The Pudding

The proof of cooperative security is in the practicing. A great deal is at stake in the preliminary trials being witnessed now in British handling of a ticklish problem in Greece and British-American handling of a ticklish problem in Italy—with Russia, of course, holding the deciding vote in both instances.

Communists and leftists in Greece and Italy may or may not have any direct connection with Russia. It is conceivable that they merely hold an ideology in common, as believers in capitalism and representative democracy in the two countries hold those ideas in common, without having any direct connection with any outside political influence.

But that does not make them any more acceptable to Russia, which is openly interested in extending its influence in southeastern Europe on a strictly unilateral policy. By the same token, Greek leftists are not acceptable to Great Britain, which is openly seeking to maintain its own influence in southeastern Europe. The British do not intend to let the Communists grab power, and it is apparent that Communists feel the same way about people who profess belief in capitalism and representative government.

This leaves the United States in the middle, of course, but there are worse places to be. The United States wants desperately to believe in cooperative security. It wants to believe that Great Britain, Russia and itself can find solutions for their security problems without cutting each other's throats in the good old-fashioned way that has been producing a world slaughter every 25 years. It is prepared to continue to give its help to any country which will make an honest effort to find a better solution for international problems than war. It is entitled to its honest doubts about some of the efforts being made currently. Obviously, continuation of this sort of thing would mean that cooperative security is destined to be killed in its cradle by its befuddled sponsors.

Congressional Bead Drawers

The senatorial flareup over replacements at the silk hat level of the state department is now reported to be harmless. The new appointees under Secretary Stettinius will be confirmed, but in the meantime Secretary Stettinius will have been reminded that the congressional bead drawers who declared closed season on Cordell Hull aren't going to extend the courtesy to him.

Mr. Stettinius enjoys an excellent reputation with members of congress, but he is still an outsider—one of the executive group which has risen under the New Deal. That makes him automatically subject to suspicion. Apparently, the only officials who command the complete confidence of legislators are former legislators. On all others, it is perpetually open season, a circumstance which may make Mr. Stettinius wonder many times what Mr. Hull had that he can't seem to get.

This instinctive suspicion, of course, extends all the way to the White House, yet it is significant that few chief executives since the Civil War have commanded congressional confidence automatically by virtue of service in congress.

Before the Civil War, service in congress was prerequisite; it was almost as if George Washington's difficulties with legislators convinced his successors that only a legislator could deal with them. It might behoove both major parties, under the circumstances, to season their presidential timber in the dry kilns of the house of representatives and the senate.

Canada's War Issue

Visible from time to time in the details of Canada's war issue is the continuing problem of the dominion's relation to the empire. The vote of confidence won by Prime Minister Mackenzie King on a motion to win a declaration from the house of commons to aid the government in "maintaining a vigorous war effort" did not specify what the effort was to consist of.

The fundamental issue in Canada is not conscription for overseas duty, but the dominion's responsibility to the British empire. It lies between those who claim Britain's quarrels are automatically Canada's quarrels and those who assert more independence of British influence, claim that Canada's sovereignty should be absolute.

In this light, the whole issue tends to become an absurdity, because if it could be settled there is no reason to believe that Canadians then would not be willing to do what the United States now is doing: i. e., to fight by Britain's side in recognition of similar interests, without reservations as to the use of manpower or material.

No Help Forthcoming

Nothing at this time could point up the moral of Japan's shortsightedness more than the damage it is admitting from the recent earthquake in the islands. Whatever is admitted, of course, must be multiplied many times to arrive at an estimate of the real damage; it is not inconceivable, judged by seismographic reports, that the Japanese have sustained a major catastrophe.

If so, no help is forthcoming. There can be no outpouring of sympathy like that which sent supplies and sympathy from America after the great disaster of 1923. There can be no help from any nation on earth. Japan could be devastated by earthquake, flood and fire and not a hand could be lifted for the assistance of its people. By going to war, it has sacrificed its claim to compassion.

It is a cruel, but distressingly obvious, fact that if an earthquake could destroy and kill as much property and as many Japanese as the United States hopes to destroy and kill with its long-range bombers, nature would be fighting on our side.

From The News Files

Forty Years Ago

Samuel Hughes of Kazad, Neb., made a surprise visit here this morning with his two sons, Joseph and Leonard.

Mrs. J. T. Steiner and daughter, Alma, went to Pittsburgh Monday, where they will visit for a short time.

Miss Mae McNamara of Leetonia is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Moff.

Nellie Stiver and Bertha McKinney are in Lisbon visiting friends for a few days.

Ernest Younger went to Pittsburgh Monday to make his home.

City Auditor George Holmes will attend the convention of the State Association of City Auditors in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Scott returned to Pittsburgh Monday after a brief visit here. Mrs. Scott has been visiting at the Saxon home on Ellsworth ave.

Thirty Years Ago

Great Britain today added four more German ships to its list of sunken naval craft.

Rev. Isaac E. Miller, pastor of the local Methodist church, spoke at the dedicatory service at the new Epworth church in Youngstown yesterday.

Germans claim they have made progress on both sides of the Argonne and in Flanders.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Floding on Lincoln ave.

An official statement today from Constantinople states that, under cover of warships, Russians tried to disembark near Gouniceh, south of Batun, in order to outflank German troops. They were driven back with heavy losses.

Twenty Years Ago

Samuel Gompers, 74-year-old president of the American Federation of Labor, died today at San Nicolas, a small town in Mexico.

H. B. Parks was elected president of the Mullins Employees Relief association at the annual meeting.

Mrs. W. T. Smith entertained members of the Jennings Avenue club at a luncheon Wednesday afternoon at her home on Jennings ave.

Mrs. Nellie Gardner was surprised Wednesday when associates of the T. G. T. club called at her home on E. High st.

Farm Women's club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. F. Franke on the Goshen road.

Mrs. James Carey entertained members of the Literary club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. T. Church on Lincoln ave.

Mrs. J. H. Rupert, Mrs. Tip Toban and Mrs. Minerva Kidd were welcomed as guests when members of the Starr club were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. R. L. Burton of the Goshen road.

The Stars Say

For Tuesday, December 12.

ACCORDING TO the lunar transits the energies and faculties are concentrated on a very concrete effort to establish the future, its fortunes and security on a firm and enduring basis. With such determination wisely and reasonably built up, with the advice and cooperation of influential friends or elders, there is promise of rich rewards and the happy fruition of the ambitions. It is probable that responsibilities, duties and obligations may be insisted, calling for shrewd and sound methods. As well there are signs of romance.

If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is are encouraged to combine all the skills, talents and sterling characteristics into assuring the stability, endurance and lasting pleasures and happiness attained in concentrated efforts for the attainment of cherished objectives. Conforming to accepted rules and regulations with fidelity to all obligations should insure the cooperation of those in power and friendly feeling. This may develop surprising moves. Reward of merit for faith and good work are in sight.

A child born on this day should have much sound ability, with sterling traits of character, with high sense of duty and responsibility. Friendly cooperation, in sound ambitions are portended. Romance as well is forecast.

Bungling and Confusion

The National Park Service, Department of the Interior, has issued a "concession facilities" schedule for the winter season in our national playgrounds. Golf, riding, hot springs, beautiful scenery, rooms and meals—the parks have 'em all, ready for the customers.

The Petroleum Administration, Department of the Interior, keeps telling us to shun all pleasure driving and save gas.

Head of the Department of the Interior, including the park and petroleum branches? Secretary Harold I. Ickes.

Mr. Ickes recently told the C. I. O. convention that we really don't have unity in this country. If he was thinking of the Department of the Interior as he spoke, he wasn't kidding.

Sensible Requirement

Some time ago a British flyer, who is also a composer, sent a new score to the New York Philharmonic Symphony's conductor. The conductor told the flyer that when he had shot down five Nazi planes, he would get a New York performance of his work. The flyer obliged. So did the conductor.

Offhand, we can think of several non-combatant singers whom we should like to see subjected to the same requirement before being permitted to perform in public.

It's open season for Uncle Sam and he's gunning for \$14,000,000,000. Let's all be game! Buy more War Bonds!

A double chin develops when a couple of women meet.

Remember when the gals used to hide their rouge? Now it's just the reverse.

An appropriate holiday slogan: On with the Christmas seals!

It does no good to bury the hatchet if you keep the hammer out.

Goebbels has ordered the German people to stop talking about the war situation. Unfortunately for him, he can't stop them from thinking.

If you want to play safe, hide the children's presents with their school books.



GUARDING YOUR HEALTH

Air and Sunshine in Tuberculosis

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.
IN MY articles on the campaign against tuberculosis published during the last few weeks and aimed directly at helping the sale of the Christmas seals of the

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

National Tuberculosis Society, I have dealt mainly with the lung form of the disease. Tuberculosis, however, affects other parts of the body—skin, bones, the kidneys and the eyes.

In discussing the treatment of tuberculosis of the lungs I said that the modern idea was that surgical collapse is the most important item in treatment—and the rest and open air and climate and sunlight upon which we depended entirely in other days, while they still should be used as adjunct methods, are not considered as such primary importance nowadays.

Scholarly Book
This, of course, does not apply to the other forms of tuberculosis and I am reminded by the receipt of a scholarly book by Dr. Edgar Meyer of Cornell University Medical College, on Radiation and Climate Therapy in All Forms of Tuberculosis, of the obligation to give sunlight and artificial sunlight and climate their proper credit.

The teachings of the Swiss physician, Rollier, in the treatment of bone and joint tuberculosis especially have tended to the receipt of his sanatorium in the Swiss Alps, always showed the spectacle of children out in the open air exposed to the bright sunlight practically naked with nothing but a loincloth while snow was all over the ground and they were skiing and tobogganing or snowbaling each other, or if too sick to be athletic, sitting on the sidelines and enjoying the fun.

Rollier made practical application of the old catch question the anatomy examiners used to ask—"What is the largest organ of the human body?" The answer was—"The skin." He used to say that those of us who consider ourselves members of Western civilization regard with complacent superiority the way other people maltreat their bodies—for instance, the Chinese women's deforming of their feet, yet entirely forget the results we heap on the skin, the most important of our organs. We smother it with clothing, we choke it with overheated houses, we deprive it of air and sunlight.

Air and Sun
The sight of Rollier's little patients out in the cold winter sunshine perfectly comfortable with nothing on was enough to encourage one to accept his point of view.

Certainly his results were good. Bone and joint tuberculosis, and tuberculosis of the lymph nodes in the neck, with little help from

surgery healed with great celerity. Draining sinuses stopped and healed.

According to the late Leroy Peters of Albuquerque, New Mexico, there is only a relatively small part of the United States which is adapted to sunlight treatment throughout the year. This is the southwestern plateau country at elevations of 3,000 to 7,000 feet. Both extreme cold and extreme heat as of the desert in summer are detrimental. Neither intense cold or blistering heat is conducive to a happy nervous state in the white man even in health. The region includes Colorado, New Mexico, northern Arizona and El Paso, Texas.

Compare Denver's 69 per cent of annual sunshine, Santa Fe's 76 per cent, Albuquerque's 70 per cent, with Malilla's 51 per cent, New York's 56 per cent and Chicago's 57 per cent. "Even if it had no other function, sun bathing would be worthwhile," according to Dr. Peters. If some fond white parent admonishes the Indian mother because her baby has too few clothes, she will reply—"her baby is all face and does not fear colds."

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

N. S. S.—I am 58 and have a low blood pressure and am anemic. What foods will improve these conditions?
Answer: Liver, eggs, spinach and carrots for the anemia. Quit worrying about the low blood pressure. It never hurts anyone.

E. M. S.—I had a fall six weeks ago and now have what they call housemaid's knee. The doctor told me it would wear off in a week, but there is still some fluid and the knee does not get any smaller and still hurts. What is your advice?
Answer: There is always a tendency to minimize a slight injury

and say the result is a wrench or a sprain, or, as in this case, housemaid's knee. As a matter of record, little falls and injuries are just as likely to cause fractures as severe ones and it is always advisable to have an X-ray taken and see that no bones are chipped off, or dislocations have occurred.

R. M.—Can a diabetic test urine for sugar, and how is it done?
Answer: Get a bottle of Benedict's solution at the drug store, also a test tube and a medicine dropper. The Benedict's solution is blue. Hold it over a jet on the stove until it boils. Add five drops of urine. If it turns red or green with a deposit, sugar is present. If it remains blue there is no sugar.

S. L. C.—About six months ago I suffered a stroke on my right side. My blood pressure is high. Will smoking do me any harm?
Answer: Not enough to make it worth while to give it up if you get any comfort out of it.

P. G.—Would like to have your opinion of eye exercises as a corrective to vision, rather than the use of spectacles.
Answer: You might as well spin a wheel on an automobile in order to correct a flat tire.

M. D.: You have recommended liver extract for pernicious anemia. What is the effect of ventriculin in pernicious anemia?
Answer: Ventriculin works just as well as liver extract on pernicious anemia.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. Clendening has seven pamphlets which can be obtained by readers. Each pamphlet sells for 10 cents. For any one pamphlet desired, send 10 cents in coin, and a self-addressed envelope stamped with a three-cent stamp, to Dr. Logan Clendening, 235 E. 48th St., New York. The pamphlets are: "Three Weeks' Reducing Diet," "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene," and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

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6:15—WKBN. Hedda Hopper
6:30—WTAM. Music Am. Loves
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WKBN. Song Kings
WADC. G. I. Mailbox
7:00—WTAM. KDKA. Cavalcade
WKBN. WADC. Vox Pop
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WKBN. Frank Sinatra
8:00—WTAM. KDKA. Teleph. Hr.
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8:30—WTAM. KDKA. Info. Please
9:00—WTAM. KDKA. Contented
WKBN. Scr. Guild Players
9:30—WTAM. KDKA. Dr. I. Q.
WKBN. Thank the Yanks
10:00—WTAM. Supper Club
WKBN. I Love a Mystery
10:30—WTAM. Symphonette
KDKA. High-Hat Club
WKBN. War Bond Program
11:00—WTAM. Music
KDKA. St. Louis Serenade
11:15—WTAM. Starlight Serenade
WKBN. London Column
11:30—WTAM. Sammy Watkins Or.
KDKA. Three Suns Trio
WKBN. Franke Carle Orch.
12:00—WTAM. Music You Want
12:15—KDKA. Stories of Escape
12:30—WTAM. Dance Music

Tuesday Morning

8:00—WTAM. Musical Clock
8:15—WTAM. Salt and Peanuts
KDKA. Linda's First Love
WKBN. Old Town Clock
8:30—KDKA. Editor's Daughter
8:45—KDKA. Hearts In Harmony
WKBN. This Life Is Mine
9:00—WTAM. KDKA. Lora Lawton
9:15—WKBN. American Music
WADC. Wild Oscar
9:30—WTAM. Finder's Keepers
KDKA. Morn. Musicals
WKBN. Changing World
9:45—WKBN. Bachelors Children
10:00—WTAM. KDKA. Rd. of Life
WADC. Home-moon Hill
10:15—WTAM. KDKA. Rosemary
WKBN. War Loan Prog.
WADC. Second Husband
10:30—WTAM. KDKA. Playhouse
WKBN. WADC. Br. Horizon
10:45—WTAM. KDKA. D. Harum
WKBN. Aunt Jenny
11:00—WTAM. Linda's First Love
KDKA. Brunch with Bill
WKBN. WADC. Kate Smith
11:15—WTAM. Editor's Daughter
WKBN. Big Sister
11:30—WTAM. Hearts In Harmony
WKBN. WADC. Helen Trent
11:45—WTAM. Organ Melodies
WKBN. Our Gal Sunday

Tuesday Afternoon

12:00—WKBN. WADC. Life Beautiful
12:15—WTAM. Aunt Jenny's Stories
KDKA. Ann Sutter
WADC. Ma Perkins
12:30—KDKA. Home Forum
WKBN. Chapel of Bells

12:45—WKBN. WADC. Goldbergs
1:00—WTAM. KDKA. G. I. Light
WKBN. Joyce Jordan
1:15—WTAM. KDKA. Today's Child
WKBN. Two On a Clue
1:30—WTAM. Woman in White
WKBN. WADC. Dr. Malone
1:45—WTAM. KDKA. Ch. Hymns
WKBN. WADC. Perry Masor
2:00—WTAM. KDKA. Wom. of Am.
WKBN. WADC. Mary Marlin
2:15—WTAM. KDKA. Ma Perkins
WKBN. War Loan Talk
2:30—WTAM. KDKA. Pep. Young
2:45—WTAM. KDKA. Happiness
WKBN. High Places
3:00—WTAM. KDKA. Back Wife
WADC. Service Time
3:15—WTAM. KDKA. St. Dallas
3:30—WTAM. KDKA. Lor. Jones
WKBN. Raym. Scott Orch.
WADC. This and That
3:45—WTAM. Widder Brown
WADC. Big Sister
4:00—WTAM. KDKA. Girl Marries
WKBN. Pappy Cheshire
4:15—WTAM. Portia Faces Life
4:30—WTAM. KDKA. Plain Bill
WKBN. Wilderness Road
4:45—WTAM. KDKA. Front. Far
WKBN. Xmas Windows
5:15—KDKA. Musically Yours
5:30—KDKA. Songs of Cheer

Tuesday Evening

6:00—KDKA. Music Shop
WADC. Looking Back
6:15—WKBN. Music Satisfies
6:30—WTAM. For the Boys
KDKA. Maurice Spitalny
WKBN. Am. Melody Hr.
7:00—WTAM. KDKA. Ginny Sims
WKBN. WADC. Big Town
7:30—WTAM. Date With Judy
WKBN. WADC. Romance
8:00—WTAM. WKBN. Mystery Th.
WKBN. Burns & Allen
8:30—WTAM. KDKA. Fibber McG.
WKBN. This Is My Best
9:00—WTAM. KDKA. Bob Fosse
WKBN. Service Front
9:30—WTAM. KDKA. Hildegarde
WKBN. Student Congress
WADC. Concert Hall
10:00—WTAM. Supper Club
WKBN. I Love a Mystery
10:15—WADC. So The Story Goes
10:30—KDKA. High-Hat Club
WKBN. Basketball
WADC. Flashgun Casev
11:00—KDKA. Chungking Calling
11:15—WTAM. Starlite Serenade
KDKA. Roy Shield & Co.
WKBN. Basketball
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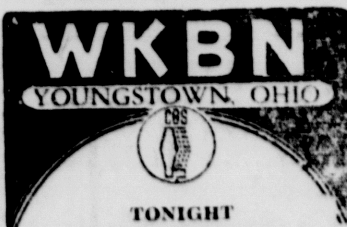
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1:30 P.M. Young Dr. Malone
1:45 P.M. Perry Mason
2:00 P.M. Mary Martin

570 ON YOUR DIAL

ROMANTIC MASQUERADE

CHAPTER ONE
 TWENTY-NINE. Twenty-nine. It must be a flat wheel right under her Pullman. Daphne decided; it couldn't be her subconscious flinging that into her mind with such an exact rhythm. "So I'm twenty-nine, not too young, not too old, the right age." The words came in her mind. The impressions, the foolish, hurting years were over. Raising her eyes, Daphne was struck with a fond and keen sense of excitement as the Pullman revealed scenes that she never forgotten through all the years she had been away. Undulating fields and gladed woods in the fresh dress of early April, farmland patches with weather-beaten barns and clean houses, tidy villages, and fields like lustrous ribbons on a carpet of yellow and green sped past. Fleetingly she glimpsed remembered names on station platforms: Ashport, Medbury, Corinth, North Wintridge. From North Wintridge, Daphne Witherby was coming home to North Wintridge, from Paris and London, from New York, there had been good many other places that

were best forgotten. Grubby, obscure cities and shabby towns that were like bad dreams which she would treat forever more as such. That would be part of closing the door on her memories, now that a new life was beginning. It would not be hard to do. Daphne thought. She was an old hand at the art of presenting the false facade of appearances. She'd been working at it for most of the last twelve years, and no one knew now that Carlo was dead, the shabby, humiliating life that had been hers. Least of all, the friends in North Wintridge with whom she would live for the rest of her life. With luck, she crossed her fingers. If any girl ought to believe in luck, she was that girl. All Daphne had to do was to let her mind drift back to that morning less than a month ago—although drifting was hardly the way to describe the way her mind snapped back from its every excursion to the wonders that began on that morning when the letter came. There wasn't anything very different about the way that day started. For thirteen hundred and ninety-two days, Sundays excepted, she'd wakened every morning to the uninviting summons of her alarm clock. And to the realization that she was technically a career girl, now that Carlo was dead, and the life she'd had down to the depths of her soul was over. Occasionally it occurred to her that she had a right to all that life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness can mean. Unfortunately, this early morning meditation usually led to the more pertinent realization that Corinne Hollis expected her to be at the shop well before nine, and that decorating jobs at thirty-a-week were not easy to find in New York.

Up at eight that morning, it was the same old thing: the choice of one of two dresses, rubbers or no rubbers, an eye on her make-up and the other on the clock; getting on her hat and coat, fishing for a nickel for the subway; looking at the floor by her door to see if there was any mail slipped under. There was something: a letter. A letter from a law firm. That day was no longer like any other in her life. Proof that it was no dream was in the handbag on her lap. The checkbook was there, and her new checkbook. The checkbook was no minor miracle. It was the golden goose, a fairy's want. Captain Kidd's treasure rolled up in one. She'd written checks and still there was—Daphne anyway—a large sum left to be drawn upon. She'd spent six hundred for clothes. That was fun. The call to tell Corinne the news was fun, too. Corinne was a slave-driver, but she was a good sort. She had said, "You can always get your job back when you've spent your money." Daphne was not going back. She burrowed a little deeper into her chair. She was through with small rooms, and lonely cities. Yes, and with men.

She had eight years of marriage, and been a widow for four. All she wanted was to live singly, and gracefully. Daphne had long been planning for that day, not knowing that it would ever come. And there was assurance in Kate Dennison's letter in her handbag. Daphne had been writing to Kate for twelve years, and often it was anything but easy to write letters, filled with glowing, if wholly unimaginary, accounts of her life. Little masterpieces those letters were, tales woven about things as she would like them to have been: The villa at Naples and her servants, the ease and beauty which had not existed. The description of the year in Paris wasn't bad either. She'd got most of that out of stories written by Americans who'd never been there. There were others in that long series: Carlo's "concert tour," the "amusing" boat voyages, the Bohemian life. (To be continued)

COURTS

Docket Entries
 Clara Sanor, Salem, vs Terence Sanor, Divorce. Temporary order restraining defendant from controlling or disposing of plaintiff's property.
 Ray Stokes, et al, Lisbon, vs Estate of Paton, Action for partition of real property. Order for service of publication.
 Sarah J. Blamer, East Liverpool, vs Peter Blamer, Action for alimony. Defendant to appear at 9 a. m. Dec. 12 and show cause why he should be punished for contempt.
 Charles J. Fulmer, East Liverpool, vs Emma J. Fulmer, Action for divorce. Dismissed by plaintiff at her costs.
 Isaac Freeman, East Liverpool, vs Perpetual Savings & Loan Co. Action for money. Plaintiff given leave to file an amended petition on or before Jan. 27.
 Carl Horst, East Liverpool, vs Albert Corns, Action for an accounting and dissolution of partnership. Hearing on application for appointment of a receiver.
 Leona Butler, d.b.a. Butler's Auto Sales, Salem, vs S. C. Martig, Appeal from justice of peace court. Leave granted to file petition for judgment overruled.
 Connolly Grocery, East Liverpool, vs W. Whiteman, Appeal from municipal court. Leave granted to read before Dec. 16.
 Margaret Neal, Lisbon, vs Ernest Neal, Divorce. Defendant ordered to pay plaintiff \$30 per pay, further order.

Washingtonville

The Elizabeth class of Trinity Lutheran church will hold its annual Christmas party in the church on Wednesday evening. A cowboy dinner will be served at 6:30. Proceeds with the business session and an exchange of gifts when "Secrets" will be revealed. A grab bag also will be a feature. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson of Detroit, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Son Transferred
 Mrs. Rose Woods has received word from her son, Joseph, of the U. S. Navy, that he has been transferred and is now patrolling in South American waters. His address is Joseph E. Woods, McMM Second Base, U. S. S. Trumpester, (D. E. 180) Post Office, New York, N. Y.
 Def Leonard Smith of the U. S. Navy, wife and daughter of East Wintridge were Wednesday evening visitors in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith.

Mrs. Helen Weikart was hostess for the Fernleigh club members at Christmas party Wednesday evening. Other guests were Mrs. Don Weikart, and Mrs. George Morrow. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Frances Baker, Mrs. Don Weikart and Mrs. Sadie Stouffer. An exchange of Christmas gifts was enjoyed. Mrs. E. L. Girard will entertain the club Friday evening, Dec.

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Albert Dunn Heads Winona Institute

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School Group Meets
 Teachers and school board members of the United Local school district met recently for their monthly evening meeting at the Methodist church. There were 27 present in the group, which included some guests. Supper was served by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church. This was followed by a short business meeting and program.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Wilson Steer Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Earl Ruble will have charge of the program. Mrs. Sina Megrall, and Mrs. Donald Mayhew recently attended a W. C. T. U. institute at East Palestine.

Lee Vincent, who recently joined the merchant Marines, is now in New York City.

Couple Wed 50 Years
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Evans, a local couple who will have been married 50 years Tuesday are planning to spend the day quietly.

Vernal Grove Homemakers club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Crawford Wednesday afternoon for a meeting and Christmas gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cooper attended the funeral of Mrs. Cooper's aunt, Mrs. Carrie Smith at Delroy Thursday.

Miss Sara Hall of Adena, state nurse for crippled children, called on her aunt, Mrs. Olive Hall, and the O. P. Sidwell family Thursday.

MIDDLETON

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lehman and Harry Shoup of Los Angeles, Calif., were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hahn.

Miss Julianna Conkle of Columbia spent the week with her sister, Mrs. John Ray and family.

Jesse Hawkins has been on a deer hunting trip in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. L. S. Coy arranged a birthday surprise party Saturday evening in honor of her husband.

Mrs. Eva Peterson of Lisbon and Mrs. James Cross, East Fairfield, Mr. and Mrs. William Coy of Salem and Mrs. Marie Little and daughter, Mary Ann, were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Coy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kannal entertained 16 guests at dinner, Sunday, honoring the first birthday of their son, Clarence.

Sergt. Charles Crook, has completed training and graduated from the Army Air Force Training command school at Chanute field, Ill. He is a son of Mrs. Martha Crook.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arendt of Chicago, Ill., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Coy.

Preston Johnson, suffering from rheumatism, has been taken to Salem City hospital.

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LEAVES FROM A WAR CORRESPONDENT'S NOTEBOOK

—by Hal Boyle

IN GERMANY, Dec. 11.—The champion army signpainter is T. 4. Liberto Villarino of Los Angeles, Calif., a former architect, who has painted 35,000 signs since landing in France. His nearest rival slipped out 15,000, but Villarino scoffed: "I made 17,000 in Normandy and once turned out 3,700 in one day."

He used red, white and black paint, either free hand or stencil, for signs saying: "Danger! Mines!" "Supply Route." "Booby Traps." "Cleared to Hedges." "Road and Shoulders Cleared." and "Road Cleared Only." etc. His buddies voted as their favorite sign his picture of a shapely female figure, captioned "Slow Curves". They think that one, if officially approved, would slow down traffic and cut down on accidents.

Most soldiers wear their "tin" helmets into battle, but Pfc. Sidney "Chicken" Thaler of the Bronx, N. Y., a 2nd division doughboy, even sleeps with his tin. In a bombproof pillbox in the Siegfried line, his answer when his buddies kid him for bunking down with his hat on is: "It's more comfortable this way."

Nazi SS troops retain their elite standing even in death. Frontline infantrymen reported that after a recent battle action German leaders permitted their medics to pick up only the bodies of the fallen SS men, leaving the others for Americans to recover and to bury.

It was during a recent heavy enemy counter-attack that Sergt. Henry Johnson of Ashboro, N. C., was surprised to hear one German

hail him in unintelligible English. "Come closer—I can't understand you!" yelled Johnson, machine-gunner for the 2nd infantry division. The nettled German marched within a stone's throw, struck a threatening pose and called out pompously: "I want you to surrender or die!" "Wrong on both counts," replied Johnson. An accurate burst from his machine-gun ended that conversation.

It isn't every soldier who has the doubtful pleasure of watching himself being shot at by the Germans. Lieut. Bernard Dolan, 24, of Emporium, Pa., did.

Raising his glass to observe the effect of tank destroyer fire, he suddenly saw with startling clearness a Nazi sniper fire at him. The next instant he felt a sharp sting as the bullet nicked his forehead. "I was so surprised, I couldn't duck fast enough," said Dolan, whose wound wasn't serious enough to keep him from duty.

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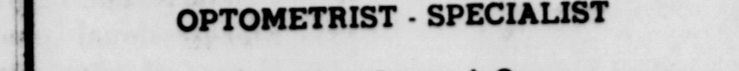
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According to Chairman Edward C. Greenamyer about 80 per cent of the quota has been sold. For the final week of the drive, the Manos theatre is sponsoring a premiere party Friday evening. Everyone purchasing bonds anywhere in Leetonia will be admitted free.

Robert Chellis, U.S.N., San Diego, Calif., arrived Friday for a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Chellis, south of town. He has been in the South Pacific for the past 18 months.

Corp. Daniel Butch, who has been stationed at Santa Ana, Calif., has received an honorable discharge.

Sue Bixler Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Lydia Weaver Friday afternoon with Mrs. H. C. Brillhart as leader. Annual Thank-offering boxes were presented.

The Silver circle of the Presbyterian church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Clyde R. Shontz Friday evening.

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Social Notes

Helping Hand Class Officers Re-elected

Officers, headed by Miss Eliza Wilkinson as president, were re-elected by the Helping Hand class of the Methodist church at a meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. F. Naragon, Woodland ave.

Other officers are: Vice president, Mrs. William Fickes; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Apple; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Sara Kelley; flower superintendent, Mrs. Emma Zimmerman.

Hazel Boston Is Bride Of Pfc. Leslie Riegel

Miss Hazel Boston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Boston of Washingtonville, and Pfc. Leslie Riegel of Salem were married at the Methodist parsonage in Lisbon, at 7 p. m. Wednesday by the pastor, Rev. C. L. Cope.

Attendants were Miss Shirley Riegel, a sister of the groom, and Melvin Boston, a brother of the bride.

Leornians Will Hold Yule Party Wednesday

The annual Christmas party of the Leornians club will be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday at the library assembly room. A program, arranged by the committee headed by Miss Harriet Percival, will be presented.

Members planning to bring guests to the party, which will be followed by lunch, are asked to notify Mrs. Walter Ferrall, phone 3501, before Wednesday.

Group 3 of W. S. C. S. To Meet Wednesday

Group 3 of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. G. W. Garde, 615 S. Lincoln ave. Miss Ella Beeson will be associate hostess. Mrs. Harry Reitzell will be in charge of the program, which will feature a gift exchange.

Methodist Group 4 Will Hold Dinner

Group 4 members will have a covered dinner at 12:30 p. m. Thursday at the church, celebrating the birthdays of the members. A Christmas offering and gift exchange will be features.

Lawrence Coy and sister, Mrs. Bertie Kinding and daughters, Ina and Jean, of Greenford, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gamble and daughter, Ruth, of Minerva, were guests of honor at the dinner.

Lisbon O. E. S. Officers Are Entertained

Mrs. G. W. Smith of E. State st., worthy matron of Iva chapter No. 311 of the Eastern Star at Lisbon, entertained her officers and committee chairmen at a dessert bridge Wednesday evening at her home.

Four tables of bridge and three tables of "500" were in play during the evening. High scores were won by Mrs. W. D. Hart and Mrs. H. W. Kemp in bridge and Mrs. H. W. Kemp in "500".

Miss Laughlin, WAVE Enlistee, Is Feted

Honoring Miss Dora Laughlin, who will leave Wednesday for Hunter college, New York, to begin basic training with the WAVES, Miss Betty Roessler entertained a group of friends Friday evening at her home on Fair ave.

Mrs. Vincent Hostess To Thursday Club

Mrs. Charles Vincent of the Albany rd. was hostess to the Thursday club recently at her home. Members sewed during the afternoon. The hostess served lunch, assisted by Mrs. Ralph Crawford.

Dinner Is Planned By M. E. Group 6

Group 6 of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service will have a birthday covered dinner at 1 p. m. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Raymond Brodell, N. Ellsworth ave. Mrs. R. F. White will be in charge of the program. A Christmas gift exchange is planned.

Holiday Party Planned By Legion Auxiliary

American Legion auxiliary members will have their annual Christmas party at 6:15 p. m. Tuesday at the Legion home. A dinner will be held before the party at a place to be announced tomorrow night. Transportation to the place for the dinner will be provided.

Mothers Club to Hear Talk by Minister

Progressive Mothers circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Donald Reichart, W. Tenth st., at 8 p. m. Tuesday. Dr. James A. Scott, Methodist pastor, will be the speaker.

Miss Mardell Reynolds of Wilmington, Del., is spending 15 days with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard, Pidgeon rd.

The Civilian Pilot Training program enabled 120,000 young men to enter the AAF in 1941. The program also trained 9,000 instructors in navigation, flight, aerology, etc.

With District Men In The Service

John Alan Taffan, son of Mrs. Peter Taffan of 353 S. Ellsworth ave., has been promoted to seaman first class and transferred from Sampson, N. Y., to Great Lakes, Ill.

Promotion of Richard F. Loutzenhiser, 12, of Salem, from corporal to sergeant, has been announced at the 388th Bomb Group station in England.

Sgt. Loutzenhiser is radio operator and gunner on an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress that has been taking part in the bombing attacks on Nazi war industries and military targets in support of Allied ground forces.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Loutzenhiser of 275 W. Pershing st. He joined the air forces in July, 1943.

Corp. Paul A. Barnard of Washington, D. C., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard of the Pidgeon road while on a 15-day furlough. His camp address is: Corp. Paul A. Barnard 35378521, Washington National airport, Army air base, 503rd AAF base unit, Air Transport command, Washington, D. C.

Staff Sgt. Frederick P. Smith of 741 W. Pershing st., on duty at the Great Falls, Mont., Army Air base, Alaskan division, Air Transport Command, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal "for exemplary behavior, efficiency and faithfulness in performing his duties in an outstanding manner."

Sgt. and Mrs. Smith are presently residing in Great Falls, the son of O. R. Smith of Eureka, Calif., formerly of Salem. An accomplished pianist, he was associated with name bands and was a radio entertainer prior to his entrance with the armed forces in June, 1942.

At the Army Air base, Sgt. Smith is assigned to duty as a base communications inspector.

War department confirmation was issued today on the wounding in action of Pvt. George J. Talbot, son of Mrs. Ida Talbot of Salineville. Pvt. Talbot is serving in the European area.

Alroy Bloomberg, seaman second class, has been transferred to the following address: Alroy Bloomberg, S. 2 c, N. A. A. S. Chincoteague (aerology), Chincoteague Island, Va.

Columbiana Clubs Plan Yule Parties

COLUMBIANA, Dec. 11.—Members of Music Study club will hold their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Elmer Coyle at 8 p. m. Wednesday. There will be a program and gift exchange.

Dr. R. M. Gaver has received word of his appointment to the Advisory council of the Ohio Chiropractic Physicians association.

The Faith, Hope and Charity class of the Grace Reformed church will hold its Christmas party at the church Wednesday evening with a covered dinner at 6:15 p. m.

Towasi class of the Presbyterian church will hold its annual Christmas party at the church at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Children of members will be guests. A program has been arranged and a gift exchange is planned for the children. Mrs. Royden Walker is the class president, and Mrs. Ralph Brungard chairman of arrangements.

The Christmas party of the Past Noble Grands club of the Rebekah lodge will be held in the L. O. O. F. hall at 6:30 this evening. A gift exchange will be a feature of the program to follow the dinner. Hostesses are Mrs. Craig Slagle, Mrs. Harry Dill and Mrs. Charles Reinher.

Mrs. Elmer Coyle will entertain members of the Friendship class of the Methodist church Friday evening. The lesson will be presented by Mrs. Frank Griffen and a gift exchange will be held.

Home From Overseas
Miss Frances Seederly, American Red Cross recreational worker who has spent the past 22 months in India, is enjoying a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coyle.

G. A. Zellers is reported recovering from a throat operation performed last week in Pittsburgh. He is now at home.

Miss Lela Reesh has been elected president of the Luther league of the Lutheran church. Other officers are: Vice president, Carol Simpson; secretary, Esther Householder; assistant secretary, Donna Gushert; treasurer, Donald Biddi.

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GASOLINE—13-A coupons good everywhere for four gallons through Dec. 21. B-4, C-4, B-5 and C-5 coupons good everywhere for five gallons.

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son; assistant treasurer, Galen Hawkins; pianist, Helen Simpson; assistant, Jeanne Heitzel.

Mrs. Robert Webber and Mrs. William Glendenin attended a meeting of club associates in Youngstown Friday evening.

Winchells Adopt Child

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 11.—It's a girl for the Walter Winchells—by adoption. And, the columnist says, he isn't going to let even Mrs. Winchell scoop him.

"I just got word from New York that my wife has adopted another girl," he announced. "All I know is she's three months old, weighs 12 pounds and has midnight black hair and deep blue eyes."

The Winchells have two children of their own, Walda, 17, and Walter, Jr., 9. They have adopted other children in the past, on a temporary basis.

Lady Nearly Choked While Lying In Bed—Due to Stomach Gas

One lady said a few days ago that she used to be afraid to go to bed at night. She was swollen with stomach gas, which always got worse when she went to bed, and the gas would rise up in her throat after she lay down and would nearly choke her. She couldn't lie flat. Had to prop herself up on pillows. Recently this lady got ERB-HELP and now says gas is gone, stomach feels fine, bowels are regular and she can go to bed and sleep soundly.

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3 Truck Drivers Fined After Patrol Arrests

State patrolmen arrested and Justice of the Peace Clara M. Gardner of Edinburg fined three truck drivers last night for driving overloaded vehicles on Route 14 just north of Edinburg.

The defendants were: Ray Gordon of Zelenople, Pa., \$25 and costs.

Howard Deffenbaugh of Toronto, \$25 and costs.

Harvey Hicks of Steubenville, \$15 and costs.

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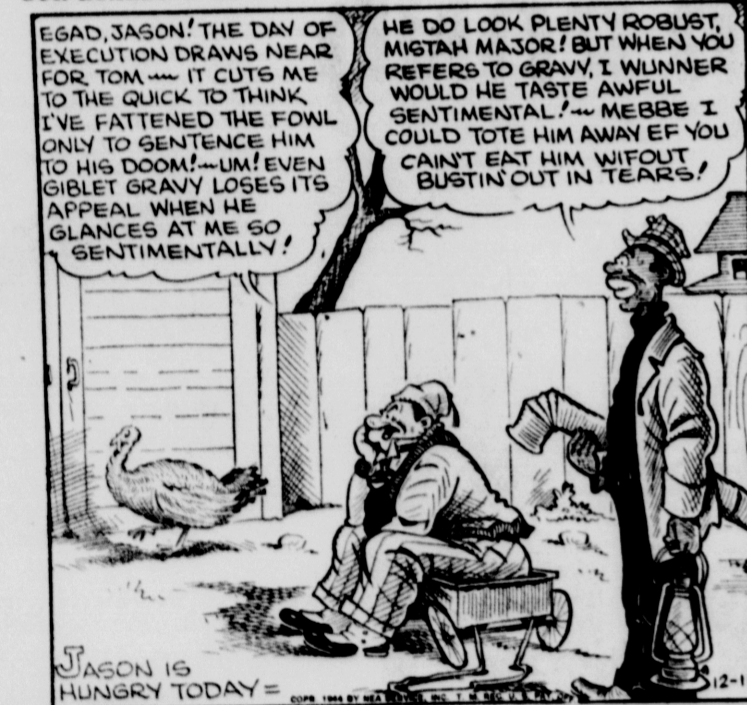
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26 Lock opener 40 Permits
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Two British Fleets Readied For Action Against Japanese

LONDON, Dec. 11.—A great new British Pacific naval command in addition to the present far eastern fleet has been created to join United States sea power in the all-out offensive to bring Japan to its knees, the Admiralty disclosed last night.

An official announcement, reflecting Prime Minister Churchill's promise that Britain would send the greatest possible forces to the orient to help defeat Japan, said the fleet will be commanded by Adm. Sir Bruce A. Fraser, who since August has been commander-in-chief of the Far Eastern fleet.

Simultaneously it was disclosed that the Far Eastern fleet will be centered in the Indian ocean as the East Indies station, a command which lapsed when the Japanese overran the Malayan peninsula and captured Singapore. This fleet will be commanded by Vice-Adm. Sir Arthur J. Power, who had been second in command to Fraser.

Under the new set-up it was believed Fraser's fleet would operate under command of Adm. Chester Nimitz in the Central Pacific and under Gen. Douglas MacArthur in the Southwest Pacific, as strategy demands.

The East Indies station would supply floating power to support Adm. Lord Louis Mountbatten's advance back into lower Burma and Malaya.

Nine Persons Hurt In Traffic Crashes

Nine persons were taken to the East Liverpool City hospital Saturday evening and early Sunday as a result of two accidents on Route 170, about seven miles south of Negley.

The first accident, at 11:30 p. m. Saturday, involved two cars, one driven by William S. Dailey of East Liverpool and the other operated by Sam A. Desero of Wellsville.

State patrolmen said Dailey was making a left turn on Route 170 and that the two cars collided nearly head-on. Mrs. Dessie Stoffel of East Liverpool was treated for cuts and abrasions of the head and Louise Clark of East Liverpool received a possible fracture of the left leg. Susan Foster of East Liverpool, suffered abrasions of the forehead and bruises of the knees. Both drivers were unhurt.

Another accident, at 2 a. m. Sunday, resulted from the head-on collision of a car driven by Norman C. Vincent of East Liverpool, and a wrecker, driven by Albert J. Tullis of Lisbon.

Six passengers in Vincent's car, including himself, were taken to the hospital.

Those injured were:

Vincent lacerations and abrasions of both knees.

Clyde Marshall of East Liverpool, sprained ankle.

Mrs. Robert Wolf of East Liverpool, lacerations of the right leg.

Fred H. Wolf of East Liverpool, cut of the right ankle.

Sarah Peck of East Liverpool, lacerations of the right leg and ankle.

Ella James of Wellsville, severe lacerations of the head and bruises.

Santa Claus Pays Early Visit To Stricken Girl

SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 11.—Life was slowly ebbing away today for blonde, four-year-old Joyce Dillon, pronounced incurably ill at her home at Bowlsville, north of here, but there was some consolation as the end approached.

She saw Santa Claus Saturday night.

Santa, whose role was taken by her father, Raymond Dillon, paid a pre-holiday visit to Joyce and her two sisters, Donna Jean, 3, and Ruth Ann, 5, because physicians have said the little girl is dying of Hodgkins disease.

Gifts were piled around a lighted Christmas tree beside Joyce's bed—she spends all her time there—but the little girl did not smile as Santa came in to distribute the presents. She was too ill. All she could do was clutch her favorite doll.

The physicians said Joyce has less than two weeks to live.

Pvt. Stewart, Formerly County Resident, Killed

WELLSVILLE, Dec. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson were advised by the War department today that their son-in-law, Pvt. James L. Stewart, an infantryman, was killed in action in France Nov. 24, less than two weeks after he arrived overseas.

He is the husband of Mrs. Mary E. Wilson Stewart of Canton but formerly lived at nearby Highlandtown.

Besides his wife he is survived by a daughter, two sisters and a brother.

Saar Menaced



American forces were massed for grand assault on Saarbrücken, capital of the rich Saar industrial basin, as beachheads across the Saar river in the area of Saargemündes were strengthened. Seventh army troops drove toward the German border at a point a dozen miles northeast of Saar-Union.

Fifth Crash Victim Dies

LANCASTER, Dec. 11.—Elmer W. Allen, 78, died last night, the fifth fatality of an automobile-truck collision two miles south of Lancaster on Highway 33 last Wednesday.

Others who were killed in the accident or died later were Clarence Allen, 41, driver of the automobile; his wife, Mary Allen, and two children, Sharon Minton, 4, and Edward Allen, 4, all of Vinton county. Edward Allen was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Allen.

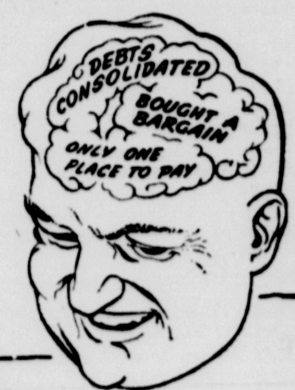
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Quakers Hope To Rebound And Win At Lisbon Tomorrow

Lisbon With Two Veterans From Last Year's Team Has Won Two Games, Lost One

Salem's Quakers have one loss in two starts and they are facing two more games this week—but don't let them short because of that one-point loss to Columbiana.

Tomorrow the Quakers and their new coach, Robert Miller, battle the Lisbon Blue Devils on their spacious floor in the county seat. Friday, Minerva, another Tri-County loop team, visits Salem.

The loss at Columbiana hurt. That's the reason Coach Miller and his lads are expected to show a rebound tomorrow that will get them back on victory lane with a resounding crash.

Although not beaten badly at Columbiana, Salem is expected to have trouble at Lisbon for two reasons. One, the Blue Devils will have the advantage of playing on their home floor. Two, because the Blue Devils are all "hepped up" about a chance at Salem and will be out to take over the team they upset in tourney play last year.

Unquestionably better stocked in experience and height, the Quakers rate the edge in the contest against Coach Robert Rutter's charges. However, spirit can make a lot of difference in a ball game and always does with Lisbon.

The new Blue Devil mentor has two veterans back from last year. Bill Wetzel and Jim Berry, and two Smith boys, Marion and Tom, have moved up from reserve play and are expected to show their wares well this year.

The fifth starter is Jim Robinson, who plays at forward. He is another reserve man, boosted since last season and showing up well.

To date the Blue Devils have won two, defeating Goshen and Leetonia, while dropping one in between to Struthers.

Coach Bob Miller is getting his charges more in hand after several weeks of practice and now has a good idea what each can do. His main problem from here on in will be to shake big Walt Brian loose from "pointed" defenses and get him in scoring positions.

This will be no easy task, as all of Salem's opponents are expected to settle a pair or three men on the lanky veteran with about the same results as were seen at Columbiana last week. Without Brian's points, the Quakers are at least ten points shy their average.

On the other hand, Miller's problem may work itself out. If teams continue to swamp Brian and leave a man or two freer than usual, the

scoring can very easily come from another position. Francis Lantry, Jim Appedisa, Ray Kelly and Mutt Schaeffer are talented and experienced at hitting the hoop and can be made into powerful offensive weapons with little trouble.

Miller is expected to start the same crew he did at Columbiana Friday. They will find operations at Lisbon much easier as the floor is spacious and clear from any obstructions.

After Friday's game here with Minerva, the locals take a vacation over the Christmas holiday and return to action with an always tough Canton Lehigh aggregation here on Dec. 29.

The contest in Lisbon is booked for 8:30 p. m. tomorrow, following a reserve game at 7:30.

New York Giant Win Puts Them in Payoff

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Those opportunists who play under the banner of the New York Giants have a date next Sunday with the Green Bay Packers to settle the World Professional Football championship.

The Giants, relegated to the also-rans in the National football league in pre-season prognostications, squeaked the Eastern division title hopes of both Philadelphia and Washington yesterday by beating the Redskins, 31-0, in the season finale to grab the berth in the playoff game.

Philadelphia, still with a chance at the crown, was beating Cleveland 26-13. That victory was somewhat hollow, however. The Eagles would have taken the Eastern division crown if New York had lost to Washington, but the Giants could not be denied.



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Llewellyn	156	151	307						
Scheuring	156	151	307						
J. Solomon	112	134	246						
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John Good	126	140	266						
Youtz	162	142	304						
Total	735	714	1449						
FEDERAL LEAGUE									
EAGLES	142	151	293						
May	115	135	250						
Brown	132	150	282						
Derhodes	153	141	294						
Ellis	210	117	327						
Hobart	153	141	294						
Blind	125	125	250						
Total	752	694	1446						
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Brennan	155	171	326						
Bloor	176	136	312						
Lippert	137	125	262						
Steffel	141	117	258						
Hickling	145	120	265						
Probert	123	164	287						
Total	754	667	1421						
SANITARY FOREMEN									
Bateman	186	125	311						
Baylorn	144	121	265						
Kraus	143	146	289						
Stirling	113	125	238						
Merry	107	171	278						
Kloos	131	131	262						
Total	693	738	1431						
SANITARY SHOP									
Miller	121	139	260						
Wentz	144	160	304						
Catlos	140	213	353						
Ramsden	129	105	234						
Rottenborn	154	136	290						
Total	688	753	1441						
SCHOLLS									
Potts	161	190	351						
Lepping	103	162	265						
Coy	144	181	325						
Dougherty	128	157	285						
Arnold	201	187	388						
Total	737	877	1614						
PENNSY									
R. Hannay	145	183	328						
Boyle	139	143	282						
Manfield	113	125	238						
Yeager	151	184	335						
H. Hannay	155	187	342						
Total	703	822	1525						
GONDA									
Herold	162	137	299						
Harsh	129	123	252						
Guertier	136	133	269						
Carns	158	103	261						
Blind	109	134	243						
Total	694	630	1324						
EAGLES									
Blickenstaff	136	134	270						
Meier	161	151	312						
Dixon	109	139	248						
Wilson	123	147	270						
Kline	173	145	318						
Total	702	736	1438						
BLISS LEAGUE									
Night D	143	140	283						
Wickline	125	139	264						
W. Sell	150	155	305						
Bennett	118	94	212						
Kraus	159	157	316						
L. Sell	115	115	230						
Sommers	115	115	230						
Total	697	706	1403						
NIGHT A									
Hobe	135	142	277						
Doyle	163	147	310						
Stratton	126	115	241						
DeWan	119	133	252						
Cady	187	148	335						
Handicap	7	15	22						
Total	737	700	1437						
ELECTRICIANS									
Beil	168	135	303						
Cromwell	121	123	244						
Juhn	118	109	227						
Kenst	103	140	243						
King	127	147	274						
Total	637	654	1291						
NIGHT B									
Straub	128	157	285						
Edling	108	156	264						
Edling	99	120	219						
McKenzie	117	110	227						
Minarick	83	94	177						
Hirsel	105	105	210						
Handicap	37	43	80						
Total	572	691	1263						
INSPECTORS									
Good	117	131	248						
Blackburn	98	68	166						
Thompson	127	130	257						
Ellis	184	126	310						
Blind	102	112	214						
Tie	1	1	2						
Total	618	567	1185						
NIGHT C									
Kennell	160	167	327						
Whinnery	102	112	214						
Dunn	126	137	263						
Weber	134	136	270						
Greathouse	124	119	243						
Handicap	25	25	50						
Total	681	696	1377						

Earth is Slowing

When this gaseous earth was in its infancy, it spun on its axis some six times faster than it does now, and days then were only four hours long.

BUCKEYE VICTORY IN FIRST IN GOOD NOTICE TO BIG TEN

Ohioans Serve Intentions Of Being In Midst of Conference Title

By HAROLD HARRISON

COLUMBUS, Dec. 11.—Ohio State university has served convincing notice it will be in the thick of the fight for a second straight Western conference basketball championship but Denison's hold on the Ohio conference title already is threatened.

Coach Harold Olsen's Bucks opened their season with a 58 to 31 victory over Michigan State Saturday night.

Denison, on the other hand, was beaten earlier in the week by Baldwin-Wallace and although that alone did not spell doom to the Big Red's title chances, it certainly didn't do them any good.

Denison will go outside the conference this week to play Ohio Wesleyan. Ohio State will be idle until Dec. 18 when the Bucks play Utah's national champions.

Here is this week's Ohio collegiate schedule:

Tonight—Kenyon at Wittenberg; Erie General Hospital at Bowling Green, Tuesday—Wayne at Toledo; Capital at Ashland; Lockbourne Army Air Base at Ohio university; Rio Grande at Muskingum, Wednesday—Ohio Wesleyan at Denison, Thursday—Camp Perry at Ashland, Friday—Muskingum at Akron; Baldwin-Wallace at Rochester, N. Y.; Heidelberg at Otterbein, Saturday—Wilmington at Cincinnati; Oberlin at Case, Lockbourne Army Air Base at Capital; Bowling Green at Ohio university; Akron at Ohio Wesleyan; Ball State (Ind.) at Miami.

Ohio and Bee-Gee Win

Ohio State's victory over Michigan State and Bowling Green's narrow 52 to 51 triumph over Western Kentucky Teachers were the only decisions obtained by Ohio teams Saturday night in five contests with out-of-state foes. The losers were Miami, Cincinnati and Case.

Bowling Green and Western Kentucky played their tilt on a neutral Cincinnati court and the unbeaten Bee-Gees started out as if they intended to make a rout of it by taking a 20 to 9 lead. It was a bitterly fought encounter from there on, with Bowling Green stalling out the last few seconds and winning, 52 to 51.

Notre Dame's Irish piled up their second top-heavy count of the season as they drubbed Miami, 68 to 34. It was the second defeat of the season for the Redskins.

Kentucky's rugged aggregation walloped Cincinnati, 66 to 24, and Case took a 52 to 40 beating from Carnegie Tech.

Ohio Wesleyan and Oberlin really had the officials work for their money as the Battling Bishops licked the Yeomen, 49 to 35. Forty-two personal fouls were called during the contest.

Akron won easily from the Lockbourne Army Air Base, 72 to 43, and Heidelberg, resuming intercollegiate basketball after a one-year layoff, opened with a 45 to 39 victory over Ashland.

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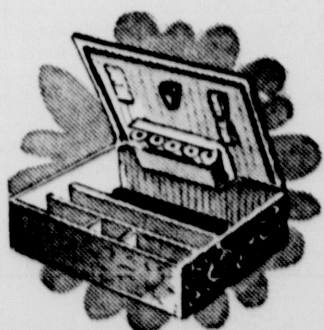
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CLOTH SEWING KIT 79c



About Town

Plan Grange Program
The following Christmas program has been arranged for Mt. Nebo Grange Wednesday night: Orchestra music, directed by H. V. Zimmerman; Christmas songs, led by Mrs. S. A. Worman; review of Rufus Jones' book "The Shepherd Who Missed the Manger," Mrs. Alvin Smeltzer; demonstration and talk on the making of toys, Miss Erma Ramseyer, county home demonstration agent. Refreshments will follow the meeting.

PTA Plans Program
The program will be presented by students at a meeting of the Junior High School Parent-Teacher association at 7:30 tonight at the school. A student choir directed by Mrs. Louis Tetlow and the dramatics club in charge of Mrs. George McKee will present numbers. All parents of Junior High students are invited.

High School PTA To Meet
Mrs. James A. Scott will speak on "The Future of Public Schools" at a meeting of the Salem High School Parent-Teacher association at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the High school. Special music will include trumpet numbers by William Scullion, accompanied by Ann Helm and group singing of Christmas carols.

Hospital Notes
Admissions to Salem City hospital include:
For surgical treatment—Noah Scott, 947 S. Lundy ave. Stanton Null, 177 W. Second st.
For medical treatment—Mrs. Anthony Dattilio, 65 Washington ave.

Officer to Speak
Maj. Thomas V. Kolb of Cleveland, recently returned from the South Pacific, will be the speaker at the Rotary club meeting Tuesday noon at the Memorial building. F. W. McKee is in charge of the program.

Travel Talk For Lions
Lewis D. Tracey of Sewickley, Pa., will tell of his experiences in the Hudson bay when he addresses Lions club members Tuesday night at the Lape hotel. Ralph Rowand is program chairman.

Firemen Check Blaze
Firemen extinguished a blaze in the hallway of a residence at 657 E. State st. at 11:40 a. m. Sunday. Some wastepaper in the hall caught on fire.

Auxiliary Police Meet
A meeting of the auxiliary police will be held at 8 tonight in the city hall to complete plans for a game supper.

Recent Births
A son Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burns, R. D. 1, Kensington.

DRAFT DIRECTIVE ISSUED TO BOARDS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Selective Service today notified state draft directors that it will take "immediate action" to put into effect the Byrnes manpower directive. In telegrams to state officers, Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey said draft regulations are being amended to provide that when occupationally deferred registrants leave essential jobs they will be "reclassified into a class immediately available for service."

The only exception, he said, will be in class where local boards rule that a change of jobs by men 26 through 37 "is in the best interest of the war effort." To accomplish the purpose that registrants 18 through 37 carry their full share of the nation's war effort in order to remain occupationally deferred, local boards will apply present occupational deferment instructions in the light of the immediate urgencies for men in the armed forces and the civilian war effort," Hershey said.

The new regulations outlining detailed procedure to be followed will be sent to local boards later this week, Selective Service said.

Jackie Cooper, Actress Sweetheart To Marry

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 11.—Jackie Cooper, former child movie star now in the Navy, and his Hollywood sweetheart, actress June Horne, announced they will be married before a few friends at Wilshire Methodist church today.

Cooper returns to Great Lakes naval training station Dec. 17.

MP's Pull Nazis' Last Fangs



Yank MP's make sure that these Nazis, captured near Saarebourg, France, will cause no further harm to others or themselves, by relieving them of all sharp possessions, such as nail files, scissors, pocketknives and mirrors.

OBITUARY

EDWARD D. WRIGHT
Edward D. Wright, 73, former Ellsworth road farmer, died at a hospital at Fort Thomas, Ky., at 6 p. m. Sunday, following a stroke suffered on Saturday.

He was born at New Springfield March 17, 1871, the son of Ruel and Sarah Wright, and lived here and in Damascus before going to Fort Thomas four years ago to make his home with a son, Ruel. His wife, Nellie Shabe, to whom he was married in 1896, preceded him in death in 1936. He was a member of Goshen grange.

Surviving are the son, Ruel N. Wright of Fort Thomas, Ky., and three grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Kopp of Marshalltown, Ia., and Mrs. Mabel Booden of Fairmount, Fla.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Arbaugh-Pearce funeral home in charge of Rev. H. E. Stout of Damascus. Burial will be in Grandview cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday evening.

MRS. GEORGE SHEPHERD
Mrs. Bertha Mary Shepherd, 59, wife of George Shepherd, died Sunday at her home in Franklin Square.

Born near Lisbon Sept. 12, 1885, the daughter of David and Rachel Shive, she had lived in the vicinity all her life. She was married June 2, 1903.

Surviving are her husband; one son, James J. Shepherd of Alliance; two daughters, Mrs. Charles Parker of Annadale, Staten Island, N. Y., and Mrs. William Eckman of Hanover; and two grandchildren.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Woods funeral home in charge of Rev. Bauman. Burial will be in St. Jacob's cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 tonight.

WILLIAM J. VEBELUN
LISBON, Dec. 11.—William J. Vebelun, 87, died at 9 a. m. Sunday at his home in Elkrun township.

Born April 5, 1857, in Lithuania, he had lived here for many years. His wife, Mrs. Margaret Akwicz Vebelun, died in 1939. Mr. Vebelun was a member of St. George's Catholic church of Lisbon.

Surviving are two sons, William and Joseph of Lisbon; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral service will be held at 10 a. m. Wednesday at St. George's church, in charge of Rev. Fr. Paul McNally. Burial will be in the Lisbon cemetery.

Friends may call at the family home anytime.

MRS. MARY SCOTT
COLUMBIANA, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Mary Scott, 85, widow of Robert Scott, died at 4:50 a. m. today at her home, 335 Union st., following a long illness.

Born Nov. 2, 1859, she had lived in Columbiana for many years. Her husband died in 1926. She was a member of the Columbiana Methodist church.

Surviving are two nieces and a sister-in-law. Funeral service will be held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Warwick funeral home, in charge of Rev. Walter C. Eyster. Burial will be in Columbiana cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p. m. Tuesday.

The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie

(Continued from Page 1.)

Hitlerites must stream through the gap at the northern end of the lake, and part must pass through at the south.

Victory for the Russians at Lake Balaton would in effect turn the right flank of the whole vast German battlefield in eastern Europe. Exploitation of this advantage by the Red forces would compel the Hitlerites to pull back from Warsaw and the Vistula line to their own frontier.

The Russian advance in Hungary has been made in the face of heavy obstacles. Operations have been impeded by terrible mud and bad weather. The ground should be tightening up now with the winter frosts to permit the Red command to unleash the full strength of their striking power.

A break-through into Austria would be a catastrophe for Hitler, especially since a considerable portion of the Austrian population is said to be ready to revolt against him. I've pointed out that this would have the effect of turning the German line on the Vistula—the most powerful part of the Nazi defense in the east. Thus continued success in Hungary might provide the Russians with the opportunity to launch an offensive against the Vistula line and so hasten its withdrawal. That possibility is strengthened by the fact that this is the time of year when the Vistula and other rivers of eastern Europe freeze and provide ice strong enough to support military crossings.

Meatless Holiday Looms For Those In New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A "business holiday," beginning Christmas day and continuing "until Office of Price Administration regulations are adjusted," has been voted by an estimated 3,500 New York City meat dealers, who say they will close 10,000 butcher shops handling 80 per cent of the city's meat trade.

The action was taken yesterday after leaders at a mass meeting said OPA regulations made it virtually impossible to do business "without becoming jailbirds." Speakers said present ceiling prices were set when livestock was selling at \$13.50 a hundredweight and now livestock is \$18.50 a hundredweight but retail prices have remained unchanged.

FDR Accepts Slattery's Resignation From REA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—President Roosevelt has accepted the resignation of Harry Slattery as Rural Electrification administrator.

A White House announcement today said Slattery submitted his resignation by letter early last week, asking that it be made effective at once. Mr. Roosevelt's acceptance was dated Dec. 8.

The White House did not disclose Slattery's reasons for quitting. Neither letter was made public. No successor was named.

The B-29's five multiple-gun, remote controlled turrets are completely electrical and can concentrate instantaneously on any target from any direction.

To Washington

Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, above, supreme Allied commander in the Mediterranean for the past year, will come to Washington as a British representative on the Allied war council and as Prime Minister Churchill's personal representative.

DESTROYER KNOX IS COMMISSIONED

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—The USS Frank Knox, one of the Navy's new-type 2,200-ton destroyers, was commissioned today at the Boston navy yard.

The first of the world's largest destroyers to be commissioned at the yard, the vessel, named for the late secretary of the navy, was launched in September at the Bath Iron Works Corp., Bath, Me.

Distribute Army Tires

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Tires no longer fit for army service will be sold for civilian use.

An undisclosed number of tires, chiefly from the war fronts, will be sold through the Treasury's procurement division.

The tires may be reconducted for "limited civilian use," the Office of Price Administration said today in announcing wholesale ceilings. At retail the tires will sell at already established ceilings.

PALS MEET at ISALY'S for a Sunshine Breakfast

2 Eggs, Bacon Toast and Coffee 43c

Navy Flier Attacks Big Jap Fleet With Only Machine Guns

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Lt. Comdr. Edward J. Huxtable of the Navy's complete squadron Ten attacked four Japanese battleships, seven cruisers and nine destroyers with only his Avenger's machine guns and came out alive.

There was no time to load a torpedo or bombs as shells from the Japanese task force straddled his small escort carrier off Samar on Oct. 24. So Huxtable and his crew, now Avenger and Wildcat fighter pilots took off on simulated torpedo bombing runs over the enemy fleet in effort to scare them off.

They repeatedly strafed the line of Jap craft and pretended they were going to launch torpedoes or drop bombs. Huxtable, Huxtable, his crewmen and plane came down unscathed. They are now in the United States on leave.

Five others took off with Huxtable included Ensign William G. Shreyer, Strauberg, Tuscawanna county, O. Streyer dropped three bombs on the stern of a heavy cruiser.

Two of the Avengers were badly shot up, but all six pilots and their crews survived, landing on other carriers after their ship was sunk or on the airfield at Leyte.

Two Die In Traffic

MANSFIELD, Dec. 11.—Carl C. Walter, 35, of Mt. Gilead was killed in an auto-truck collision near Johnsville in Morrow county and Mrs. Lawrence M. Keeler, 38, was killed in an automobile crash here Saturday.

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